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Mr. Jim Hanley
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Re: Closure Report, Rico, Colorado Reclamation

Dear Mr. Hanley:

At the request of ARCO's Project Manager, Richard Elliott, please find enclosed the completion report for the work completed this past summer at Rico, Colorado. The report consists of seven main sections outlining different areas of the cleanup work completed.

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| Section 1 | Overview of the project |
| Section 2-6 | Detailed review of the work completed at the Argentine Tailings, Columbia Tailings, Santa Cruz Mine, Silver Swan Mine and the Grand View Smelter |
| Section 7 | Describes the borrow areas and the work completed restoring the areas to their native condition |

Each section contains as-built drawings overlain onto the drawing which was submitted as part of the original application to the State of Colorado. Also included is a narrative of how the conditions of approval for the VCUP application were satisfied.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (801) 972-6222 or Richard Elliott in Los Angeles at (213) 486-2475.

Sincerely,
ANDERSON Engineering Company, Inc.

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